

Mrs. Agatha Bean is visiting relatives at St. John, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reece, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday with relatives here.

W. E. Roush and wife, of New Vienna, were guests of Mrs. Ella Duval, Monday.

Mrs. William Payne, of London, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Lillian Eggeling.

Miss Mattie Rosselot, of Buford, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Puckett.

L. B. Banks and wife and daughter were guests of relatives at Leesburg Sunday.

Lewis McMeekin and Oscar Soderstrom, of Cincinnati, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, of Wilmington, were visiting their daughter, Mrs. R. H. Jeffries, Monday.

Mrs. Frank Hogsett spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roush, at Hoaglands.

B. C. Donohoo and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Shaffer, near Pricetown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shelley, of Xenia, were entertained by John Arthur and wife, Sunday.

T. A. Malcolm and wife, of West-boro, were the guests of Mrs. M. E. Vance and family Saturday.

George Kesler and family entertained his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Kesler, of Fairview, Sunday.

Joe Carroll, of Portsmouth, was the guest of his parents, Capt. and Mrs. M. F. Carroll, from Friday until Monday.

Escoe Ervin and Miss Mozelle Trop spent Sunday with the latter's uncle, William Purdy and family, near New Market.

Stacey A. Mitchell, of Wilmington, supervisor of the census for this district, was here Monday on official business.

Rev. Washburn and wife, of Highland, were entertained Sunday at dinner by George Umphlet and wife, at Belfast.

Miss Ethel Whitley has returned home after a visit with friends at Mt. Orab. She attended commencement while there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Turner and Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Roads attended the funeral services of Mrs. John Johnson, at Boston, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Ella Duval and mother, Mrs. Jane Cochran, spent Sunday with the former's sons, Albert and Elz Duval, and their families, near Dodsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Q. Roads, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Worley and Noah Roads attended the funeral of Henry W. Spargur, at Greenfield, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. A. Smith, of Sardinia, and daughter, Mrs. E. C. Wiscup, of this city, attended a birthday dinner at the home of R. P. Groves and family near Boston Monday.

At Saturday's stock sale 32 head of horses were sold at prices ranging about the same as at the April sale. Twenty-one were shipped to Cincinnati and eleven to other points.

C. H. Long has moved his blacksmith tools from West Main street to Starling White's Machine Shop on West Walnut street near the White Line Livery Barn, last week.

A. A. Fenner closed a very successful term of school in the Ervin District last Friday. The patrons of the school gave him a surprise dinner and requested his services for next winter.

Miss Alta Custer, who has spent the past few months in a large wholesale millinery store in Cincinnati, came home Saturday to spend a short time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Custer.

Isaac Malsom, aged 84 years, died Sunday at the home of his granddaughter, Mrs. Frank Elliott, at Bell, after a short illness. The funeral was held at Cincinnati Tuesday conducted by Rev. Kneisley.

Rev. and Mrs. O. L. Martin and C. F. Whisler attended the Northern Baptist Convention at Chicago last week. Rev. Martin and Mr. Whisler were delegates from the First Baptist Church of this place.

Mrs. M. B. Yoeman, representing the Friday Club, and Mrs. Henrietta B. Nelson and Miss Letha Roads, the Altruistic Society, went to Cincinnati Monday to attend the tenth biennial meeting of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

The marriage of Miss Minnie C. Elliott and Robert P. Thompson was quietly solemnized at the Presbyterian church Monday afternoon by the pastor, Rev. Shields. After a wedding journey through the East they will reside in Louisville, Ky., the home of the groom.

A beautiful line of barrettes at Berryman's Hat Shop.

Mrs. Anna Hunter, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of Mrs. Dan Morgan.

Special prices on trimmed hats and all millinery goods at Berryman's Hat Shop.

William Kent and son, Ben, spent Sunday with Delgamiah Gibler and family at Folsom.

Walter Hilliard purchased the Vandergrift property on North West street last week.

T. S. Beam, of St. Mary's spent Sunday and Monday with his son, Thomas, and family.

Hon. R. T. Hough, of Washington City, was the guest of his brother, A. E., Thursday and Friday.

Miss Anna Dawson entertained a number of her friends very pleasantly Monday afternoon with bridge.

Mrs. S. N. Roush, of West Union, arrived here Saturday for a short visit with her daughter, Mrs. A. T. Thomas.

Mrs. Willard Gore will entertain this afternoon for Mrs. Morgan and her guest, Mrs. Hunter, with bridge.

Supt. W. E. Arter and family moved last week to their home on East Main street which they recently purchased.

Mrs. Dan Morgan will entertain with a bridge party Friday afternoon for her guest, Mrs. Hunter, of Louisville, Ky.

Mrs. Walter Merrick, of Cleveland, will arrive here today for a visit with her parents, Judge and Mrs. S. F. Steele.

See the famous pictures showing President Roosevelt in his great African hunt at the Theatorium Friday and Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Haynes left Saturday for a visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth H. Evans, at Asheville, N. C.

Seventy persons were applicants for Teacher's certificates at the examination held at the Washington school building last Saturday.

The first open air concert by the Aristo Ladies' Concert Band, of this place, will be given Thursday evening, May 26, the weather permitting.

Relatives and friends here of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Walker, of Colorado City, Col., have received word that a son was born to them April 25.

While a few farmers have planted their corn the great majority of them will plant this week providing the weather conditions are favorable.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Elton, of the O. S. & S. O. Home at Xenia, were the guests of relatives and friends here and at Samantha Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Irene Hall, of the Aristo Ladies Band, is the proud possessor of a magnificent new 1910 Conn-queror cornet from the factory of C. G. Conn, Elkhart, Ind.

Hundred of our citizens have taken a peep at the comet but a great many will wait until after the 18th when they can view it in all its glory without having to rise so early.

Leesburg is the first town in the county to start open air concerts this season. The first of the series was given Saturday evening by the Citizens' Concert Band of that place.

Mrs. Lucy Smith and daughter, Miss Edith, entertained with bridge Tuesday afternoon for Miss Hunter, who is the guest of Mrs. Dan Morgan. Delicious refreshments were served.

Recorder O. A. Landess and family, accompanied by Miss LaVerne Roush, spent Sunday with relatives at Danville. They attended the funeral services of Mrs. John L. Strange, at Russell, Sunday.

The Leesburg Canning Co., of Leesburg, was incorporated last Friday with a capital stock of \$10,000. The incorporators are N. L. Bunnell, C. H. Hopkins, James T. Montgomery, Charles C. Redkey and A. G. Barber.

Hon. R. Wilds Gilchrist, of Lebanon, a candidate for the Republican nomination for congress, was in Hillsboro Saturday in the interests of his candidacy. Mr. Gilchrist is a very pleasant gentleman, who impresses one as a man of ability and integrity.

The editor of the NEWS-HERALD is indebted to Daniel Williams, who is spending the winter at Shreveport, La., for a copy of the Times published in that city, which contained an account of the great damage done there by the recent cold wave. The account says that snow fell as far south as Selma, Ala., and Columbus, Ga. Millions of dollars of damage was done to the cotton crop. There is great scarcity of cotton seed and it is feared that the planters will not be able to secure seed to replant their crop. All records for cold weather were broken and it is claimed that the South suffered its worst financial set back since the Civil War.

Big reduction on all Millinery Goods at Cohn's.

Philip Jeans, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting his father, Frank Jeans.

Miss Lulu Berryman is visiting friends at Peebles.

Sheriff McMullen spent yesterday at his Paint township farm.

Mrs. O. N. Garrett is visiting friends at Shelbyville, Ky.

Rev. James Bailey, of Leesburg, was here on business Tuesday.

John Bentley and wife are visiting relatives near Willettsville.

Frank Ambrose was a business visitor in Cincinnati Tuesday.

See "Teddy" in Africa at the Theatorium Friday and Saturday nights.

Special display of White Hats for graduates at Cohn's.

Aaron Small and family are spending a few days with his family near Blanchester.

Judge Watts spent Tuesday and Wednesday with his son, C. A. Watts, at Peebles.

Mrs. Lavinia Dill and Miss May Cummings are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hibben at Cleveland.

R. B. Barrett, of Norwood, and Mrs. Roy Barrett, of Nashville, Tenn., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Head Sunday.

Miss Madge Evans, who has been employed at Cincinnati for several months, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Frost, of Louisville, Ky., is the guest of her sisters, Mrs. E. G. Smith and Mrs. Oscar Brown.

Misses Jennie Perin, of Batavia, and Laura Hockett, of Chillicothe, were the guests of Mrs. J. B. W. Spargur last week.

Jack Thompson, who has been visiting his sisters, Mrs. Tuttle and Mrs. Rives, has returned to his home at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Mrs. O. A. Thompson and daughter Sarah, spent last Saturday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hopkins, at Pricetown.

Mrs. Edward Kruse and son, of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived Friday of last week for a visit with her parents and other relatives and friends here.

A great number of the citizens of this village got a good view of Halley's comet Friday May 6 at 3 o'clock and again Tuesday morning of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bralley, of Logan, who have been the guests of the latter's brother, E. T. Sanderson, returned home Monday.

Don't fail to see President Roosevelt hunting wild animals in Africa at the Theatorium Friday and Saturday nights.

No films for moving pictures have been created as much favorable comment as those showing President Roosevelt hunting in Africa.

Joseph Stratton, of Lima, was the guest of O. A. Landess and family yesterday. From here he went to Pricetown to spend a few days with his mother, Mrs. George Tedrick.

Mrs. John L. Strange died at her home at Greenfield last Thursday, the result of a stroke of paralysis suffered a few days before. The funeral services were held at Dunn's Chapel Sunday.

O. N. Sams, president of the First National Bank, will attend a meeting of the Fourth Division of the Ohio State Bankers' Association at Portsmouth today, where he will make an address.

The observance of Children's Day in the First Baptist Sunday School, during the latter part of May was looked forward to last Sunday by the appointment of a committee on arrangement, consisting of Misses Byrdie Ayres and Anna Vance and Joseph Hibbs.

Misses Cecelia, Mary and Florence Felke attended the High School Commencement at Sardinia Friday evening of last week. The class of 1910 was composed entirely of young ladies. A cousin, Miss Carrie List, was a member. The Misses Felke remained and visited with relatives and friends until Monday morning.

Henry Shrope, of East Walnut street, celebrated his seventieth birthday on Sunday May 8. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Shrope, of Pittsburg, Pa., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shrope and two daughters, Margaret and Helen, of Cincinnati, Hoyt Shrope, of Columbus, and Mrs. Ed Kruse and son, Virgil, of Pittsburg, Pa.

Sam D. Amen, formerly of this city, but now with the U. S. Internal Revenue Service, with headquarters at Boston, Mass., was united in marriage to Miss Mary Catherine Chase, of New York City, at the home of the groom's aunt, Mrs. Emily Foraker, Saturday, April 30. They will make their home at Ashmont, Mass., a suburb of Boston.

Buckets, tin, galvanized and granite, at Tener's, North High Street.

Window screens, screen wire, flower pots and croquet sets at Tener's, North High Street.

Floor and furniture stains and paints and brushes of all kinds at Tener's, No. 110 North High Street.

Mrs. Cora Powell was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Overman at Leesburg Friday.

The Royal Tailors have made a reduction of from two to seven dollars on 111 pieces of spring and summer cloths. See me at Hotel Dillon or drop me a card and I will call on you with samples.

A. H. WRIGHT, Agent.

Owing to the inclement weather of last Saturday night, the lecture on the Solar System, which was to have been given by Rev. J. M. Hunter, at the New Market Presbyterian Church, was postponed and will be given at the same place tonight. Rev. Hunter is a splendid orator and should be greeted by a large audience.

John Stockwell, a former resident of this county, died at his home at Burlington, Kan., Thursday, April 28, at the age of 74 years. The funeral services were held from the Methodist church at that place April 30. His death was the result of a stroke of apoplexy which he suffered about a year ago. He left this county in 1868 and had become prominent in the business and social life of his adopted home. He is survived by his wife and two sons.

FROM TEXAS

M. E. Cowgill, Former Resident of this County, Writes of his Surroundings.

EDNA, TEX.

EDITOR NEWS-HERALD—Some time has elapsed since I last wrote you and possibly some of our friends would like to know how we are getting along.

We passed through the year as well as we expected and so far this winter and spring have had ideal weather. We have had garden vegetables all winter and from the Spring planting have already had peas and can soon have beans. Tomatoes are in bloom and all other vegetables are coming on nicely. We have a fine melon patch of about 1 1/2 acres, musk melons in bloom and in this climate that means melons before long. and, by the way, we raised the champion musk melon of the county last year which weighed 24 pounds and we expect to do as well or even better this year.

We have a good prospect for fruit, peach trees are loaded to the ground, oranges and lemons in full bloom and a good crop of pears is expected. Dewberries are in abundance and ripen in the month of April. Strawberries have done excellently this season, being large and of good quality but are almost gone.

We have a renter on the farm that has in about 20 acres of corn and 35 of cotton. The corn is knee high all over the field and is a prosperous looking crop, as we have had plenty of rain. The cotton is all up and growing nicely. The ground works well and seems to be productive. Prairie grass is coming on and will be ready to cut the last of May and June and then again in the fall. It sells for \$10 a ton and makes excellent feed, although the majority of people let their stock graze the year round. Cattle are ready for shipping and I now look out of the window and see sixteen cars loaded with cattle going north. It is a very common occurrence to see three or four thousand head in one herd.

We had the pleasure recently of being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Lon Upp and Mr. and Mrs. James Divin at their beautiful home in the suburbs of Houston.

I will now give a brief description of Jackson county in which we live. It faces the Matagorda and Aranchina Bays, on the South with abrupt banks, 12 to 25 feet in height to the water edge with no swamps and no marsh. An incline plain gradually rises to the north and at Edna, the county seat, reaches an elevation of nearly 100 feet and has an average rise of about 4 or 5 feet to the mile to the north.

The Natividad and Lavaca rivers and their tributaries run through the county every one or two miles and form a complete system of natural drainage, which assisted by graded roads and artificial means, makes this the best drained county in the coast country. Live oak, ash, pecan, hickory, sycamore and other hardwood fringe these streams for a few rods on either side.

Between these streams are broad expanses of beautiful open prairie with no brush, no cactus and no marsh and covered with a luxuriant growth of South Texas blue stem grass that will cut a ton of hay to the acre, the first cutting and one-half ton the second.

Corn, cotton, alfalfa, oats and rice are the principle farm products and the Satsuma oranges, Magnolia figs and other semi-tropical fruits and dewberries and blackberries along the streams bring profit and happiness to the farming community.

High elevation, magnificent climate and bracing sea breeze from the Gulf makes our country a delightful summer and winter resort, which with abundant water, rich soil and splendid people will cause the northern settlers to make the south their home.

I will close by wishing all my northern friends a prosperous year.

M. E. COWGILL, Edna, Texas.

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John Q. Roads was in Springfield yesterday in conference with the Auditors of several other counties through which the D. T. & I. railroad runs, for the purpose of appraising railroad property.

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Will Patterson, of Cincinnati, spent Sunday with his mother here.

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